

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 15, as follows:

Recently, flat panel type displays (FPDs) such as liquid crystal displays (LCDs) and others, which can achieve high resolution, low power consumption and space saving have been extensively developed. Among these, application of LCDs for use in computer displays, television displays and others is quite significant. However, in contrast to the cathode ~~lay-ray~~ tube (CRT) displays which used to be mainly adopted for these purposes, LCDs have been pointed out as a drawback which is so-called 'blur injury', that is, the edges of moving part are perceived to be hazy by the observer when a picture with motion is displayed.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 23, as follows:

When the illumination ratio is 50%, light source lamp 111 is turned off during the period from time t1 to time t2 within one field period T and turned on during the period from time t2 to time t3, by pulsing application of electric power from power source ~~12~~ 112 (see Fig. 2). When the illumination ratio is 25%, the lamp is turned off during the period from time t1 to time t6 within one field period T and turned on during the period from time t6 to time t3, by pulsing application of electric power from power source ~~12~~ 112 (see Fig. 2).